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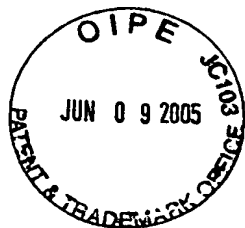
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I INTRODUCTION

On April 5, 2005, an United States Patent and Trademark Office Examiner's Action ("Action") was issued in the form of a restriction and/or election requirement. In the Action, the examiner set a shortened statutory period for response of one (1) month set to expire on May 5, 2005. With the filing of this Amendment and Response, Applicant is also filing a Request for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for a one-month extension of the deadline, *i.e.*, until June 5, 2005. June 5, 2005 falls on a Sunday. Accordingly, the filing of the Amendment and Response on Monday, June 6, 2005, with a Certificate of Mailing Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8 is timely under 37 C.F.R. § 1.7.